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| In re Patent Application of |) | MAIL STOP AMENDMENT |
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| Susumu Kitagawa et al. |) | Group Art Unit: 1796 |
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| Application No.: 10/593,098 |) | Examiner: ROBERT C. BOYLE |
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| Filed: October 24, 2006 |) | Confirmation No.: 7829 |
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| For: ORGANOMETALLIC COMPLEX |) | |
| STRUCTURE, PRODUCTION METHOD |) | |
| THEREOF; AND FUNCTIONAL FILM, |) | |
| FUNCTIONAL COMPOSITE MATERIAL, |) | |
| FUNCTIONAL STRUCTURE AND |) | |
| ADSORPTION AND DESORPTION SENSOR |) | |
| USING THE ORGANOMETALLIC COMP |) | |

SECOND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, applicants hereby submit certain documents cited in an Office Action dated May 26, 2009, in the corresponding Japanese application in conformance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98. A copy of the Office Action is also enclosed.

The documents are being submitted after a first Office Action on the merits but prior to the closing of prosecution, therefore under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), a statement is enclosed.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.

To assist the Examiner, the documents are listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that an Examiner initialed copy of this form be returned to the undersigned.


The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

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